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SUBJ: DOHA AIRPORT PROJECT

REF: DOHA 1285

1. DURING NOV 23 MEETING WITH AMBASSADOR, AMIR'S TECHNICAL ADVISOR, HISHAM QADDUMI, STATED THAT FINAL DECISION ON NEW DOHA AIRPORT HAS NOT BEEN MADE AND THAT PROJECT IS STILL IN SUSPENSE. HE SAID THERE ARE DIFFERENCES OF OPINION IN GOQ OVER DESIGN WITH ONE GROUP FAVORING RETENTION OF GIBB-PETERMULLER AS RECOMMENDED BY AIRPORT EVALUATION COMMITTEE (REFTEL) WHILE OTHERS (QADDUMI) BELIEVE PLAN SHOULD BE JUNKED AND FRESH START MADE. UNTIL AMIR MAKES DECISION, NO FURTHER PROGRESS IS POSSIBLE. AMBASSADOR NOTED THAT EMBASSY INTERESTED IN DEVELOPMENTS ON PROJECT DUE POSSIBILITY OF OPPORTUNITY DEVELOPING FOR PERINI IF CONSTRUCTION CONTRACT IS RETENDERED.

2. IN SEPARATE CONVERSATION SAME DAY, MINISTRY OF PUBLIC WORKS OFFICIAL ALSO STATED THAT NO RPT NO ACTION HAS BEEN TAKEN ON COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATIONS AND PROJECT, AT LEAST FOR PRESENT, IS FROZEN.

3. COMMENT: IT APPEARS THAT IT IS NOW UP TO AMIR TO MAKE DECISION ON FUTURE OF GIBB-PETERMULLER. UNTIL HE DOES SO, IT IMPOSSIBLE TO PREDICT WHAT OPPORTUNITIES, IF ANY, MAY RESULT FOR US FIRMS SUCH AS PERINI.

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